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To: Mary Mickelsen, Executive Secretary of the University Senate

Cc: Andrea Bueschel, Chief of Staff Ann Gould, AVPAA Michele Norin, CIO Christopher Retzko, Director of Special Projects

Dear Mary,

I am writing to acknowledge receipt of the University Senate's report and resolution on Charge S-2017: Evaluation of the University's Continuity of Operations. I am grateful to the Information Technology Committee for its careful examination of the university's response to the pandemic in moving to remote operations for faculty, staff, and students and the recommendations that have come from that effort.

While I am formally sharing your report with the relevant members of my Cabinet for consideration, I am proud of the enormous efforts that the university community has made over the past year in adapting to the remote environment, and of the ongoing commitment of our Office of Information Technology and the IT staff across Rutgers to support the academic and administrative enterprise.

Sincerely, Jonathan Holloway President & University Professor